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Dear Commissioner Henney —

I am concerned about the current labeling standards of genetically engineered foods. I believe it is my right as a consumer to know what it is I am buying, and ultimately what I feed to my family.

Genetically engineered foods sometimes contain pesticides within their genetic makeup. Is this food then organic? These foods, which are altered in this way, should be subject to standards such as "Certified Organic" standards. Consumers want to know what they are eating!!

I understand, ~~I understand~~ there was a lawsuit which challenged the FDA's policy which does not require labels on transgenic foods. I would urge ^{you} to support this lawsuit's demand for safety testing and complete, legible labels.

Please let me know what actions you and your administration are taking, if any, to protect consumers against the unknown risks of genetically engineered foods. I look forward to hearing a response from you.

Sincerely,
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